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House Meets At...	Last Vote Predicted At...
2:00 p.m.: Legislative Business Unlimited "One Minutes"	7:00 p.m.

FLOOR SCHEDULE AND BILL SUMMARY

Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

Suspensions (5 bills):

- 1) **H.R. 4381** – To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2811 Springdale Avenue in Springdale, Arkansas, as the "Harvey and Bernice Jones Post Office Building" (*Rep. Boozman – Government Reform*)
- 2) **H.R. 4442** – To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1050 North Hills Boulevard in Reno, Nevada, as the "Guardians of Freedom Memorial Post Office Building" and to authorize the installation of a plaque at such site (*Rep. Gibbons – Government Reform*)
- 3) **H.R. 4556** – To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1115 South Clinton Avenue in Dunn, North Carolina, as the "General William Carey Lee Post Office Building" (*Rep. Etheridge – Government Reform*)
- 4) **H.R. 4618** – To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10 West Prospect Street in Nanuet, New York, as the "Anthony I. Lombardi Memorial Post Office Building" (*Rep. Engel – Government Reform*)
- 5) **H.R. 4654** – To reauthorize the Tropical Forest Conservation Act of 1998 through fiscal year 2007 (*Rep. Putnam – International Relations*)

TOMORROW'S OUTLOOK

The GOP Leadership has announced the following schedule: On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business. The House will consider two bills under Suspension of the Rules and will also consider: **H.R. _____** – Department of Labor, HHS, and Education Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2005 (*Rep. Regula – Appropriations*) (*Subject to a Rule*).

Daily Quote...

"If the coming session does not go beyond political gestures, the 108th Congress would have a slender record for the year. And polls show voters have noticed: A recent Gallup survey found that 42% of respondents approved of the way Congress was doing its job, while 52% disapproved. Thus far, Congress has passed one of 13 spending bills — to fund Pentagon programs — for the 2005 fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1."

- A story in *The Los Angeles Times* today

"Ten years ago, when their party controlled the government, congressional Democrats were swept out of power after fumbling health-care and crime legislation. The question now is: Will Republicans, who similarly control Congress and the White House today, suffer too? Congress's disapproval rating is back up to 52% in Gallup surveys -- about 10 points higher than the 2002 election season."

- A story in *The Wall Street Journal* today